

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 684
By DuBois

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Bonnie VanBibber on her meritorious service as a teacher with the Maury County School System.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Bonnie VanBibber is one such estimable educator; having distinguished herself as an exemplary classroom teacher, she has entered into a well-deserved retirement; and

WHEREAS, Ms. VanBibber served with acumen and alacrity as a sixth grade Math and Business teacher for many years in the Maury County School System, instructing and positively influencing the students at Columbia Central High School, Whitthorne Middle School, and Spring Hill High School; and

WHEREAS, she is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who worked assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; she always insisted on her students having high expectations, which they diligently worked to meet; and

WHEREAS, Ms. VanBibber truly served as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; a highly professional and organized educator, her motto is "No Information Left Behind"; and

WHEREAS, she is an active and important part of her community and her profession, participating in and lending her support to numerous civic and educational organizations; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Bonnie VanBibber demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues and students alike; and

WHEREAS, Ms. VanBibber truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized for her manifold achievements in service to the Maury County School System; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor Bonnie VanBibber, commending her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, saluting her professional expertise and personal excellence, and extending to her our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.